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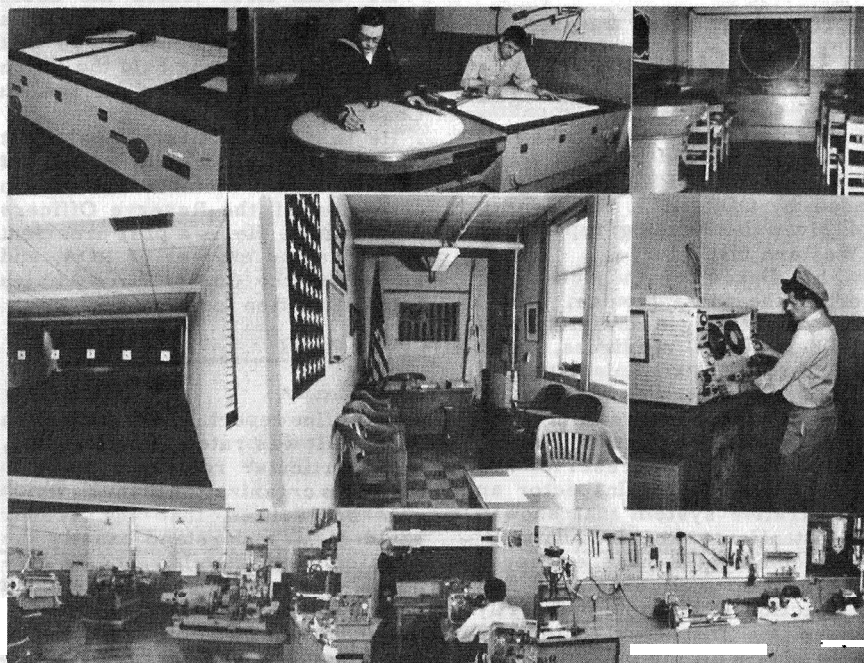
Where There's A Will There's A Way . . .

Seattle Had the Will And Found the Way

Back in 1956 the Seattle Reserve Units were forced out of the training center at Lake Union, which they had been using for some time, and the immediate question became--where to go? The answer was found in an old warehouse owned by GSA. The Army Officers Reserve School utilized several classrooms and the second floor was, and still is, utilized full time by CAA and Army Ordnance.

When the Coast Guard Reserve Units first moved in, their facilities consisted solely of an open warehouse space for muster and classrooms shared with the Army Reserve Officers School. But soon things began to happen. Here is the story of the development of the Seattle Coast Guard Reserve Training Center, as told by CDR S. M. HAY, 13th District Director of Reserve.

"During 1957 and 1958 LTJG K. E. WHITE, the District Training Officer at that time, made plans and started the construction of an engineroom in the end of what was a garage enclosure inside the warehouse. A fire-proof wall was constructed to partition off the room and a General Motors 6-71 engine and Superior Diesel Generator set were installed. This work was done by contract and the contract was let by GSA. LTJG WHITE had procured the Superior generator and a duplicate from CAA, at no cost,



From l to r, top: CIC - Problem Generation, Problem Solving, Classroom; Center: Pistol range, CO's and XO's Office, SU Radar; Bottom: Engine Room, Electronics Classroom, Machine Shop.

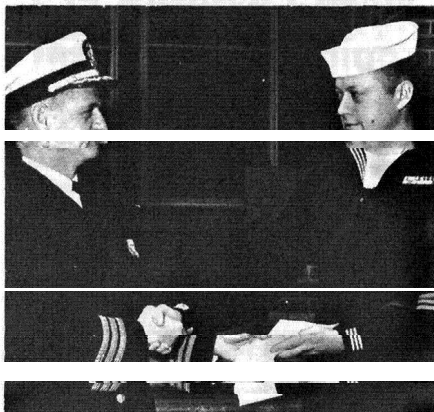
when they closed up a radio station.

"In the Spring of 1958 the Coast Guard moved out of Pier 70 where they had a pistol range and attack teacher installed. With the aid of the district and reserve money the steel work from the pistol range was utilized and a contract was let to build a five position pistol range. This was completed in the fall of 1958. The attack teacher equipment

was utilized for the installation of the CIC mock-up. The rooms for the CIC were built in what had been just bare storage lockers. This work was accomplished by the local stationkeepers augmented by DCs, EMs, and ETs on two weeks active duty for training.

"In the same area an SU Radar was installed and placed in operation by ETs coming in for two weeks

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The Coast Guard does it again! Lester Deming, GM2, of ORTUAG 03-525, Yonkers, N. Y., graduated as top man in one of the largest Navy Instructor Training classes held in Philadelphia in recent months. Deming, shown here receiving his graduation certificate from CDR H. B. Palmer, Asst C/S for NavRes&Trng, 4ND, achieved the enviable grade of 3.73 for the course, leading a class of 59 officers and petty officers.

Western Inspector Finds Two Units "Outstanding"

During the past several months, two Reserve units--ORTUAG 11-315, commanded by CDR D. S. Fraser, and ORTUPS 14-295, commanded by CDR H. J. Roes--have been given outstanding reports by the Western Inspector.

On his December inspection, he reported the Santa Monica, Calif., unit as outstanding in administration and operational readiness, and stated that "... administration of this unit has set a new standard of excellence for reserve units observed by the Western Inspector. No unit, regular or reserve, has ever exhibited to the Inspector an administrative system that showed more attention to required detail." He also commented that the records "... were so well organized that in a fraction of the time ordinarily required the inspection team was able to obtain all the information it needed." The training program was rated as outstanding in both classroom techniques and administration of training--the training officer could give a complete and detailed report on the progress of each man, and the instructors were prepared a month in advance and displayed very good military bearing and classroom techniques.

An inspection of Honolulu's ORTUPS 14-295 resulted in an

Age Limit Upped for USCGR-RR Program

increased the age limit recently released, for enlist-

ment in the USCGR-RR program from 21 to 26 years. No change in the dependency requirements as set forth in Personnel Instruction NO.

3-58 is planned. The age for enlistment in the USCGR-RR program remains 17 to 18½.

Reserve Officer Elected National Vice Commodore at Auxiliary Conference

LT Herbert E. Lutz, USCGR, Executive Officer of ORTUPS 07-409, North Miami, Fla., was elected National Vice Commodore of the Coast Guard Auxiliary at the 1960 Auxiliary National Conference held in Honolulu April 19-23. He will hold office until the next annual conference.

LT Lutz first joined the Coast Guard Auxiliary in 1954. He has been an active member since that time and in 1957-58 held the office of District Commodore for the 7th Coast Guard District.

He has been active in the Coast Guard Reserve for many years, not only as a unit member but also in activities of the Reserve Officers Association. He is a past president of the county chapter of ROA, and served on the Coast Guard Affairs Sub-Committee for 6 years.

equally fine report. The organization of the unit was rated as outstanding, with particular reference made to the unit's organization manual, which was so written that the reader could "... understand exactly the mission, responsibility, and the purposes of what this unit does without having to make reference to any other publication." The military etiquette and discipline in classrooms and at drills was the "finest ever noted during an inspection." "... ready at any time to be integrated in the active service with competent, qualified personnel, capable of carrying out the duties assigned, consistent with the traditions of the U. S. Coast Guard."

Personnel of both units should be proud of their accomplishments--here are records to be emulated by every reserve unit!

Unit News

Attendance - March 1960

National Average	86.9%
Highest District: 11th	90.0
Highest ORTUAG: 03-525, Yonkers, N.Y.	100.0
Highest ORTUPS: 11-315, Bakersfield, Calif.	100.0
Highest ORTU, other: 09-159, Cleveland, Ohio	100.0
ORTUEL 12-533, Alameda, Calif.	100.0

Commissioned

ORTUR 07-488, Miami, Fla., 15 May 1960 as a weekend unit. CO - CDR F. X. ONORATO.

New Units Authorized

Anticipated Drilling Facility

ORTUPS Sandusky, Ohio	U. S. Army RTC
MOBDET St. Louis, Mo.	2nd CGD Office
San Francisco, Calif.	12th CGD Office

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active duty for training. An additional room was added for an electronics shop and considerable equipment was located and procured at no cost by LTJG W. R. VOLPENTEST during his tour of duty from June 1958 until January 1959 as District Training Officer. He was placed in charge of the training center and supervised all the work done during this time. Since January 1959 the stationkeepers, under the direction of LT E. S. HUTCHINSON, have continued to improve the facilities by completing the engineroom and gathering and setting up training equipment in the various classrooms.

"The interest and enthusiasm of the stationkeepers has provided a very fine and well equipped training center. Much credit is also due to the inactive reservists who worked there during their two weeks active duty for training.

"The whole thing, except for the engineroom contract and the pistol range contract, has been produced by the efforts of these men and at a minimum of cost for materials".

SPAR Recruit Training Dates Are Announced

Women's Reserve Recruit Training classes at the Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md., will convene on 17 July, 14 August, and 11 September.

SPARs who have never completed Navy or Coast Guard recruit training will be required to take this training and should submit Form CG-3453, Application for Active Duty for Training, as an early date. While the 11th, 12th and 13th districts are not excluded from this training, requests from these districts will be considered on the basis of available funds. The requirement for this training is the same for Women Reservists in the 14th and 17th districts, and for those in the 11th, 12th and 13th whose requests are disapproved.

Fiscal '61 Promotion Board Dates Announced

Fiscal 1961 promotion boards to consider officers in the promotion zones listed in the May issue of the RESERVIST will convene as follows:

Promotion to	Convening Date
CAPT	Late July
CDR and LCDR	On or about 22 August
LT	On or about 26 September
LTJG	On or about 24 October

Officers who are to be considered are urged to make certain that fitness reports and any further communication they desire to submit are forwarded in ample time to be included in their records prior to convening of the appropriate board.

Safe Boating Week Set for 3-9 July

Reservists are reminded that the 4th observance of Safe Boating Week is just around the corner--July 3 to 9 to be exact. As the agency traditionally associated with maritime safety, the Coast Guard has a direct and continuing interest in helping to minimize the hazards of this increasingly important activity. Members of the Reserve can perform an important service by assisting in "getting across" the message of boating safety, and by cooperating fully with

ORTUAG CRUISE SCHEDULE 1960

(Unit assignments to be made by Commander of District scheduled for cruise)

Ship	*Home Port	Cruise Dates	District Assigned Quota
East Coast:			
ANDROSCOGGIN	Miami, Fla.	10 Jul - 23 Jul	07
SEBAGO	Mobile, Ala.	10 Jul - 23 Jul 31 Jul - 13 Aug	08 08
MACKINAW	Cheboygan, Mich.	26 Jun - 9 Jul 8 Aug - 20 Aug	09 09
COOK INLET	Portland, Maine	** 7 Aug - 20 Aug *** 20 Aug - 3 Sep	09 03
MCCULLOCH	Boston, Mass.	10 Jul - 23 Jul	01
SPENCER	Staten Island, N. Y.	17 Jul - 31 Jul	03
OWASCO	New London, Conn.	7 Aug - 21 Aug	03
INGHAM	Norfolk, Va.	14 Aug - 27 Aug	02
RIRR	Boston, Mass.	24 Jul - 6 Aug	02 01 01
West Coast:			
TANEY	Alameda, Calif.	3 Jul - 16 Jul	12
MINNETONKA	Long Beach, Calif.	17 Jul - 30 Jul	11
WACHUSETT	Seattle, Wash.	7 Aug - 20 Aug	13 11
WINONA	Port Angeles, Wash.	14 Aug - 27 Aug	11
GRESHAM	Alameda, Calif.	14 Aug - 27 Aug	12
KLAMATH	Seattle, Wash.	14 Aug - 27 Aug	02 11
PONTCHARTRAIN	Long Beach, Calif.	21 Aug - 3 Sep	11

* This is not necessarily Port of Embarkation, POE will be determined at a later date.

** Return by Airlift from Bermuda via CG Aircraft.

*** Airlift to Bermuda via CG Aircraft.

all groups associated with the Boating Week program.

Before that time there will be made available to the boating public the Coast Guard's latest boating pamphlet "Recreational Boating Guide" (CG-340). In popular non-technical fashion, the publication will outline the steps to be taken to conform with the Federal Boating Act, and will also provide some

useful suggestions for increasing the safety of recreational boating.

Copies of the pamphlet will be furnished for the libraries of all Reserve Port Security and Vessel Augmentation units, and will be made available to the general public at a moderate cost. Reservists are urged to become acquainted with this guide and to call it to the attention of the boating public.

CG Reserve Offers

For the first time a Coast

during the summer months for the Navy Instructor Training offered at Great Lakes and other naval training centers, Coast Guard reservists who could train only during the summer frequently have been unable to obtain quotas, despite the need for trained instructors. The course at Oswego has been established to meet this need for the current training season. Four classes have been scheduled, starting on 4 July and continuing through 27 August.

Only the First, Second, Fifth and Ninth districts will participate in this first series of classes, but it is planned that in succeeding years a similar program will be established at the Reserve Training Center at Yorktown and will be open to all districts.

Annual Fitness Reports Required by 15 July

All Reserve officers on inactive duty who are not assigned to the Inactive Status List or the Retired Reserve are reminded that annual fitness reports are required for the period ending 30 June 1960.

Normally, the required form NavPers 937 (Rev. 8-56), Report on the Fitness of Naval Reserve Officers on Inactive Duty, will be furnished by the District Director of Reserve prior to the end of the reporting period. However, it is an officer's individual responsibility to obtain and submit this form and if blank forms are not received they should be requested. The form, with applicable portion completed, must be submitted to reporting seniors not later than 15 July.

Officers who are members of drilling units should submit their reports to their commanding officers. Officers in the Active Status Pool or Administrative Reserve Units should submit reports to the district commander (dcr), or to the Commandant (PR) if their records are maintained at Headquarters.



RADM E. J. Roland, Commander, First Coast Guard District, presents the "Outstanding Reserve Unit" award to the proud commanding officer of ORTUPS 01-594, LT R. E. L. West. The Quincy, Mass., unit is one of the newer units in the First Coast Guard District, having been in commission only since September 1958. Looking on are LT T. A. Kutney, Executive Officer, CDR T. O. Sutcliffe, former Commanding Officer, CDR W. D. Strauch, Jr., First District Reserve Director, and members of the unit.

Information Please (And Pictures Too!)

How about sharing your special activities of the past year--and the highlights of your coming training duty--with the more than 30,000 other Reservists who receive this publication? All we ask is the pertinent facts--the where, when, who, what and how--of a story; or a good action photo, with adequate identification.

Here are some suggestions to help you in submitting your material:

DON'T:

- Submit poems, songs, articles on controversial subjects.
- Submit pictures of teams and large groups facing the camera, or routine photos of something every command is doing.
- Send posed pictures that look posed
- Type or write with hard pencil or ballpoint pen on backs of photos--marks will show through when picture is reproduced. Tape or paste caption to back of picture.

DO:

- Type your stories, double spaced, on one side of the paper only.
- Send stories on unusual activities, awards, service to community, special types of training--what-

ever might be of interest to other reservists.

- Identify yourself, with full name, and rate or rank.
- Submit action shots--reservists at work and in training, or feature material on unusual types of training, occupations, other activities.
- Send only glossy photos--other finishes or pictures clipped from newspapers or magazines will not reproduce well.
- Identify your pictures carefully. Caption should tell what is happening, names and rates of personnel appearing, where, when and by whom the picture was taken, and any other pertinent material.

With these suggestions it shouldn't be so hard--just send your material in to COMMANDANT (PR), U. S. COAST GUARD, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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